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**APPLICANT:** Shen et al.  
**SERIAL NO.:** 10/621,637  
**FILED:** July 17, 2003  
**FOR:** Low Cost Room Temperature Electrochemical Carbon  
Monoxide and Toxic Gas Sensor with Humidity  
Compensation Based on Protonic Conductive Membranes

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**STATUS INQUIRY**

The undersigned hereby requests to be informed of the status of the above-identified application.

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This is a reissue application. As indicated in the caption information above, it was filed on July 17, 2003. Applicants note that reissue applications are taken up "special" and are taken up for action ahead other "special" applications (MPEP 1442). Applicant's further note that it has now been more than fourteen (14) months since the subject reissue application was filed.

This reissue application involves reissue of Issued U.S. Patent No. 5,650,054. As indicated in applicant's original reissue application filing papers, a currently pending Reexamination Application Serial No. 90/006,209 involves

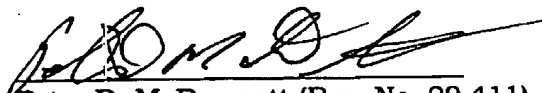
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the same issued U.S. patent. Application Serial No. 90/006,209 is currently on appeal before the Board of Appeals and Patent Interferences.

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